

graphic report of the data called for therein, may be required if necessary. This report contains a list of the sanitary personnel—medical officers, enlisted men, and other personnel with a numerical statement of the number present for duty, and the number sick, or in arrest or confinement; also, those absent with leave, without leave, or those sick or on detached service. Under transportation, the number of animals (riding, driving and pack) are given. Under vehicles, a statement is made of the number of wagons, ambulances, travois and litters. The condition, as to serviceability, of the animals and vehicles is also stated.

(b) Daily field report of patients: This report will, likewise be rendered daily, as in the preceding case. This report gives, in number, the remaining sick since last report, those admitted from command, and those otherwise admitted; there is also a statement of the number returned to duty, transferred, died, otherwise disposed of, and those remaining under treatment. Also the number of vacant beds is given. Among the cases remaining under treatment, the number suffering from the most important diseases is given; also the number of patients suffering from wounds received in action; also the number suffering from other wounds and injuries.

(c) Monthly reports from divisional sanitary inspectors required.

(d) Report of the sanitary inspections of the medical department organizations required. In this report there is embodied statements concerning the following:

(1) Administration of the command or organization.

(2) Efficiency, instruction and adequacy of the medical personnel.

(3) Condition of the hospital (or other medical department organization).

(4) Character and sufficiency of the medical supplies.

(5) Facilities for transporting the medical supplies and the sick and wounded.

(6) Occurrence of preventable diseases and sufficiency of the measures taken for their prevention.

(7) Other matters affecting the care, well being, and comfort of the sick and wounded.

(e) Certificate of identity: These certificates are issued to those who are entitled to wear a brassard, but who do not wear a uniform. This certificate contains a personal description of the individual; it is kept in a small tin box, which may be worn suspended around the neck.

(f) Diagnosis tags: On the battlefield, diagnosis tags are applied to all sick, wounded and dead; and are used in recording and reporting casualties. The diagnosis tag contains the following information: Transportation required; whether the patient is able to endure transportation; whether he is able to walk; and, also the diagnosis and the treatment accorded him. The urgency tag is to be used in addition to the usual diagnosis tag, as a conspicuous mark to call attention to some case requiring immediate assistance. The date is important and should never be omitted. When narcotics or stimulants are administered, the quantity given, and the time, should always be stated. If practicable, the name, rank, company, and regiment of the sick or wounded man, should be entered upon the diagnosis tag.

(g) List of sick and wounded: In this list are recorded the name, rank and organization of the dead or the wounded; the nature of the casualty is given, together with the diagnosis of the disease or injury. If wounded, the missile or weapon must be given, together with the place of injury and the treatment accorded; the date of entry, and

disposition of case, with date of same, is also recorded. There is, in addition, a numerical summary of all cases admitted to sick report.

(h) Return of casualties: This report is made after every action in which casualties have occurred, by the commanding officer of each independent organization. Casualties pertaining to the personnel of the organization making the report only should be included. Regimental surgeons furnished regimental commanders with information necessary for the preparation of the report. This return contains the name, rank and organization of the dead and wounded; also, the nature of the casualty, the character of the wound or other injury, nature of missile or weapon, and the place and date of the action or engagement.

(i) In the case of medical department units, which have quartermaster accountability, such additional records, reports, returns, etc., as are required by the quartermaster corps, must be kept and made.

IN ERRATA.

In list of New Members, November Journal, 1916, the name of Ethel M. Walters should have been Walters, Ethel M.

Dr. Robert Bremner Smith is not dead as reported in the November 1916 Journal.

We have just been advised that Alonzo C. Cook, reported dead in our December Journal, 1914, is not dead, but is living and address is Long Beach, Calif.

RESIGNED.

Wintermute, G. P. San Francisco.

NEW MEMBERS.

Coleman, Earl H., Yosemite Valley.
 Adams, Bonnie O., Riverside.
 Cowan, Angus B., Fresno.
 Burch, E. Lee, Watsonville.
 Thompson, Georgia E., Fresno.
 Dolley, Frank S., South San Francisco.
 Purnell, W. W., Oakland.
 Legault, J. W., Oakland.
 Mitchell, W. E., Berkeley.
 Peters, Lulu H., Los Angeles.
 Allen, Albert, Los Angeles.
 Kearney, Elizabeth, Los Angeles.
 Brandel, Harry M., Los Angeles.
 Gray, Etta, Los Angeles.
 Nutting, Floyd, Santa Monica.
 Skinner, Cynthia A., Los Angeles.
 Stovall, Leonard, Los Angeles.
 Carson, Emma M., Reno, Nevada.
 Collins, W. F., Virginia.
 Haygood, A. G., Downey.
 Reum, C. G., Los Angeles.
 Seaman, E. D., Los Angeles.
 Swift, E. L. H., Los Angeles.
 Conerty, J. M., Los Angeles.
 Derrick, J. S., Los Angeles.
 Hanlon, Edw. R., Los Angeles.
 Martyn, Geo., Los Angeles.
 Metcalf, C. F., So. Pasadena.
 Dieterle, K., Los Angeles.
 Wilson, H. P., Whittier.
 Bancroft, I. R., Los Angeles.
 Rolph, W. D., Riverside.
 McPheeters, G. Carl H., Riverside.

DEATHS.

Gleaves, James S., Missouri.
 Dransfeld, Chas. C., San Francisco.
 Paris, Clifton M., Sacramento.
 Irving, Walter William, Los Angeles.
 Dukeman, Wm. H., Los Angeles.
 Brown, Henrietta, San Francisco.
 Todd, David B., San Francisco.